RESERVOIR 29 Greene-Sullivan State Forest Sullivan County 2005 Fish Management Report

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- Historically, Reservoir 29 has had low pH, creating marginal water quality for fish and aquatic vegetation. Although a low pH of 4.5 was documented in 2005, subsequent pH readings reflect the same general trend that the reservoir is slowly progressing towards a more biologically stable system. There is no evidence that Reservoir 29 is subjected to low pH values for any sustained period of time.
- A low density bass/bluegill fishery exists. Bluegill ranged from 1.9 to 9.0 in TL. The electrofishing catch rate was 95 bluegill/h. Bluegill of harvestable size accounted for 14% of bluegill collected. Largemouth bass ranged from 3.7 to 16.8 in TL. The largemouth bass electrofishing catch rate was 27 bass/h.
- Aquatic vegetation in Reservoir 29 consist of creeping water primrose and a unique species of low phosphate tolerant water bulrush, *Scirpus subterminalis*.
- The pH and alkalinity at Reservoir 29 should continue to be monitored.

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INTRODUCTION

Reservoir 29 is a 140-acre impoundment located in the Greene-Sullivan State Forest (Figure 1). It has a maximum depth of 26 ft and an average depth of 14 ft. The reservoir has a gravel boat ramp and is restricted to electric motors. Reservoir 29's watershed was extensively mined and the reservoir itself was originally constructed as a water source for a coal wash operation. Poor mining practices left the reservoir depleted of nutrient sources and with an acidic pH and negligible alkalinity. The Division of Reclamation provided monitoring data from as early as 1972 when the pH was 2.6.

In 1988, the Division of Reclamation completed a reclamation project under the Abandoned Mine Land program on approximately 91 acres on the west shore of the reservoir's watershed to reduce leaching of coal refuse. Improvements were also made on the dam and parking area. In 1989, the pH was in the low 4's. Fish collected in Reservoir 29's watershed included largemouth bass, bluegill, redear, hybrid sunfish, warmouth, green sunfish, and channel catfish. A successful bioassay was conducted in 1993 and a subsequent netting survey yielded seven panfish already in the reservoir. (Andrews 1994). Reservoir 29 was stocked with largemouth bass, bluegill, and redear fingerlings in the fall of 1993. The pH was approximately 4.5. The pH has been recorded annually in late summer at established sample sites since 1993. The pH was documented as high as 6.5 by Schoenung in 2002.

The last general survey conducted at Reservoir 29 was on August 10 to 12, 1998. This report presents results of a general survey of Reservoir 29 in 2005, water chemistry data taken from 2006 to 2007, and management recommendations.

METHODS

A standard fish survey was conducted at Reservoir 29 on June 6 to 8, 2005. Sampling effort consisted of 1.0 h of pulsed DC night electrofishing, 6 overnight trap net sets, and 3 overnight gill net sets. Fish were measured to the nearest 0.1 in TL. Scales samples were taken from game species for age and growth analysis. District averages were used to estimate fish weight. Proportional stock density (PSD) was calculated for largemouth bass and bluegill (Anderson and Neumann 1996). Water chemistry parameters were measured according to the Manual of Fisheries Survey Methods (Shipman et al. 2001) and verified with HACH.

Tier II aquatic vegetation sampling was conducted on July 6, 2005 according to Pearson (2004). A GPS unit was used to record the location of the limnological data and fish collection sites. A follow-up water chemistry profile was conducted on July 5, 2006. Fish tissue samples were collected October 18, 2006 and analyzed by IDEM. Additional pH samples were taken in 2007.

RESULTS

Water quality data was collected in June during the general survey at two of the three historical sample sites, Station 1 and Station 3 (Figure 2 & 3). At Station 1, the conductivity was 640 μ S at the surface and 660 μ S near the bottom (21 ft). The Secchi disk reading was 19 ft 0 in. Dissolved oxygen (DO) was 6.6 ppm at the surface and 6.0 at the bottom. The pH was 4.5 at the surface and 4.6 at the bottom. Alkalinity was less than 17.1 ppm at the surface and bottom. At Station 3, the conductivity was 630 μ S at the surface and 980 μ S near the bottom (28 ft). The Secchi disk reading was 17.5 ft. The DO was 7.0 ppm at the surface and 0.8 ppm at the bottom. The highest DO reading was 7.3 at 12 ft. DO was adequate for fish survival to a depth of 18 ft. The pH was 4.7 at the surface and 5.8 at the bottom. Alkalinity was less than 17.1 ppm at the surface and 51.3 ppm at the bottom.

The July 2006 water chemistry sampling documented a 7:00 am pH at Station 1 of 7.2 at the surface and 5.5 at the bottom (Table 1). By 1:30 pm, the pH had risen to 8.0 at the surface and 6.4 at the bottom. At 7:30 am Station 3's pH was 6.9 at the surface and 6.7 at the bottom. By 2:00 pm, the pH had risen to 7.9 at the surface and 7.3 at the bottom. Shoreline and inlet pH ranged from 7.1 to 7.5. Shoreline sediment pH ranged from 6.4 to 8.0.

Subsequent pH readings were taken by property personnel at the ramp on January 26, March 23, and June 29, of 2007 (Siscoe 2007). HACH kit readings ranged from 6.5 to 7.0. Fish tissue samples were collected October 18, 2006 and submitted to IDEM as part of the 2006 Fish Consumption Advisory monitoring (Stahl 2007).

During the aquatic vegetation survey in July there was a blue-green planktonic bloom. The Secchi disk reading was reduced to 6.5 ft. The pH was 5.8. The only submersed plant found was a unique species of low phosphate tolerant water bulrush, *Scirpus subterminalis* (Washington State Department of Ecology 2006). The site frequency was 62.9% and in certain areas of the lake water bulrush blanketed the bottom to a depth of 14 ft. Creeping water

primrose occurred sporadically along the shoreline and a stand of *Phragmities* was noted near the dam on the east side of the reservoir.

A total of 173 fish representing seven species was collected during the survey with an estimated weight of 33.7 lbs. Species collected in the 1998 survey, but not in this survey include redear and hybrid sunfish (Schoenung 1999). Bluegill dominated the catch by number (57%) followed by largemouth bass (19%), longear sunfish (9%), and yellow bullhead (8%). Green sunfish, black bullhead and warmouth were also collected.

The bluegill sample consisted of 98 fish ranging from 1.9 to 9.0 in TL. The average length was 4.0 in. Bluegill represented 7% of the total weight of fish collected. The electrofishing catch rate was 95 bluegill/h. The bluegill PSD was 17. Bluegill of harvestable size accounted for 14% of bluegill collected. Growth was slower than the previous survey in 1998.

The largemouth bass sample consisted of 32 fish ranging from 3.7 to 16.8 in TL. Bass represented 17% of the total weight of fish collected. The electrofishing catch rate was 27 bass/h. The bass PSD was 35. Bass growth was below average to age 2 and average thereafter.

Fifteen longear sunfish were collected that ranged from 2.4 to 5.2 in TL. Other fish collected included 13 yellow bullhead, seven green sunfish, seven warmouth and one black bullhead.

DISCUSSION

Historically Reservoir 29 has had low pH, creating marginal water quality for fish and aquatic vegetation. Until the June 2005 survey, the annual fall water quality samples indicated slight improvements in pH each year. The June 2005 water quality tests had a low pH of 4.5 and alkalinity has consistently been low (<17.1 ppm).

Normal shifts in pH occur daily during photosynthesis and respiration. However, in systems with low alkalinity more drastic shifts in pH can occur during biological activity. In order to gain a more representative assessment of the water quality at Reservoir 29, multiple samples were taken around the reservoir from early morning to early afternoon on July 5, 2006. Subsequent pH readings were consistent with prior fall samples with the exception of the bottom sample at Site 1 which had a pH of 5.5 at 7am (Table 1).

Other issues to consider with low pH systems are that heavy metals and other toxins become more soluble, increasing exposure to aquatic life (Wurts 1992). Because of the low pH reading of 4.5 and historical water quality data, fish samples were collected for IDEM in 2006 to determine if there is a consumption risk to humans. No PCBs, organochlorine pesticides, lead or cadmium were found in edible fish tissue (Stahl 2007). Quantification of mercury placed Reservoir 29 at the lowest level, Group 1, for bluegill and redear under 9 in and for bullhead under 12 in. Largemouth bass were at the state default, Group 2. Definitions of Group ratings can be found in the Indiana Fish Consumption Advisory, 2007. Additional pH readings were taken by property personnel in the winter and spring of 2007. The pH values were in the 'normal' range for this reservoir. There is no evidence that Reservoir 29 is subjected to low pH values for any sustained period of time.

The fish community has shown slight improvement from the last survey even with a reduction in both bass and bluegill growth. This is likely a result of more fish competing for limited resources. The PSD for bass has increased and is in the range for a balanced fishery. The bluegill PSD is slightly lower than the optimal range. Inconsistent recruitment is always a concern but, in low nutrient, less than optimal pH conditions, these factors are more likely to lead to an unstable fish community. A pH as low as 5.0 during the spawn can have negative affects on fish reproduction and embryonic development (Kazumasa 1999). Based on the survey results, recruitment of largemouth bass and bluegill has been consistent. Six year classes of bluegill and five year classes of largemouth bass were collected.

Aquatic vegetation in Reservoir 29 compared to previous surveys has actually shown a slight increase in distribution and diversity. This may be a sign that Reservoir 29 is progressing towards a more biologically stable system. This is a slow process and artificially stimulating the system to increase its buffering capacity is not cost effective and may actually do more harm than good.

RECOMMENDATION

• The pH and alkalinity at Reservoir 29 should continue to be monitored.

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Table 1. Reservoir 29, Sullivan County, Water Chemistry Profile July 5, 2006.

		(\(\gamma\)	0																								
	_	Cond	470																								
		TDS (mg/L) Cond(μ S)	0.23												0.23												
Alkalinity	(mdd)	7:00am	17.1										17.1	7:30am	17.1												68.4
;	Hd	1:30pm	8.0										6.4	2:00pm	7.9												7.3
	_	7:00am 1:30pm	7.2										5.5	7:30am	6.9												6.7
	SECCHI	7:00am	9,8											7:30am	7'10"												
	DO (ppm)	7:00am 1:30pm	10.45											2:00pm	10.46												
	00	7:00am	8.15	8.42	8.48	8.41	8.36	2.60	7.70	9.70	10.74	10.55	10.75	7:30am	7.65	7.50	8.90	8.58	8.96	9.03	8.67	8.13	96.6	9.50	21.13	2.25	1.69
ļ	emp ^v F	1:30pm	82.6										72.0	2:00pm	83.1												63.0
	Water Temp ^v F	7:00am	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.4	82.0	80.1	76.3	71.8	69.4	67.5	7:30am	82.4	82.6	82.6	82.6	81.9	81.1	6.62	2.92	71.6	68.7	62.6	6.73	54.0
			0	7	4	9	œ	10	12	4	16	9	20		0	7	4	9	œ	10	12	4	16	18	20	22	24
		Depth (ft)	Station 1:												Station 3:												

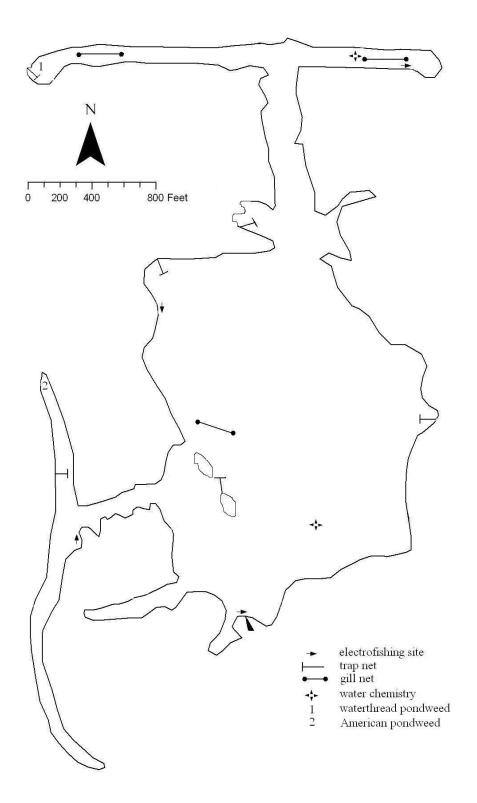


Figure 1. Reservoir 29, Sullivan County. Location of water chemistry, gill nets, trap nets, and electrofishing stations, 2005. Location of American (1) and waterthread (2) pondweeds noted in 2006.

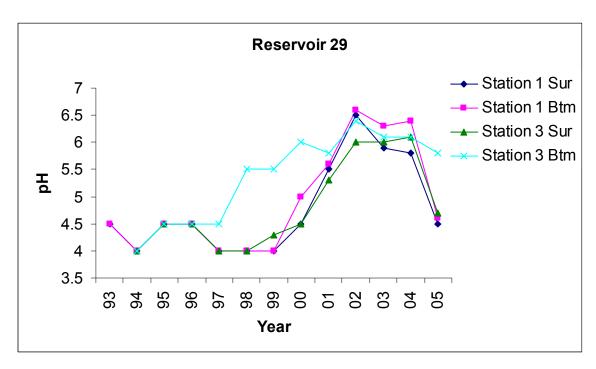


Figure 2. Reservoir 29, annual surface and bottom pH taken from 1993 to 2005 at Station 1 and Station 3.

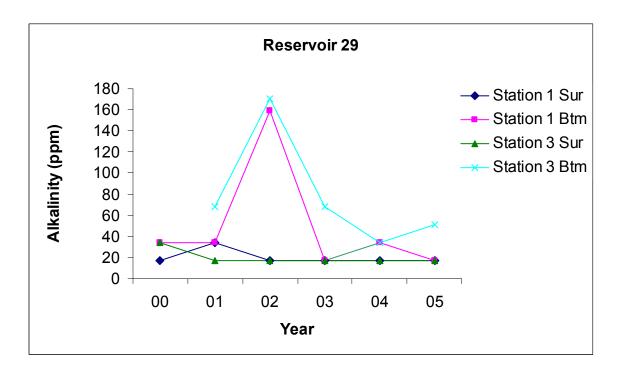


Figure 3. Reservoir 29, annual surface and bottom alkalinity taken from 2000 to 2005 at Station 1 and Station 3.

LAKE SURVE	EY REPORT		Type of Survey	Initial Su	rvey	X Re-Survey	
Lake Name			County			Date of survey (M	Nonth day year)
Reservoir 29			Greene			1	6 to 8, 2005
Biologist's name							(Month, day, year)
King and Pritche	tt					Marc	h 14, 2007
Quadrangle Name			LOCATION Range			Section	
Quadrangle Name	Linton, Sandborn		Kange	8W		Section	36
Township Name	Linton, Gandborn		Nearest Town	OVV			30
	7N				Pleasa	antville	
Ctata aumad public a	annon oito		ACCESSIBILIT		an nita	Other access	oito
State owned public a			Privately owned p	oublic acce	ess site	Other access	site
Surface acres	Gravel boat ramp. Maximum depth	Average depth	Acre feet		Water level		Extreme fluctuations
140	26 Ft.	14 Ft. *	1,960 F	t. *			
Location of benchma			,,,,,,,,,				
			INLETS				
Name		Location			Origin		
Intermittent Stream	am	Northeast end			Little Fry La	ake, Private po	nds
Intermittent Strea	am	East end			Little Ham a	and Ladder Lal	kes
			OUTLETS				
Name		Location					
Culvert		29A					
Water level control							
P	00L	ELEVATION	N (Feet MSL)		ACRES		Bottom type
TOP	OF DAM						X Boulder
TOP OF FLOOD	CONTROL POOL						Gravel
	ERVATION POOL						x Sand
	NIMUM POOL						X Muck
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SIRE	EAMBED			<u> </u>			X Clay Marl
Watershed use							
Reclaimed mine Development of shore	land, State Forest						
Gravel boat ramp							
Previous surveys and	d investigations		004 (555)				
Water chemistry	: 1972, 1974 throug	gh 1977, 1982, 1	984, 1989 throu	ıgh 2004	ļ <u>.</u>		
Watershed surve	ey 1990, Spot ched	ck survey 1993.	Standard surve	y 1998.			
*Estimated							

	SAMPLING EFFORT											
ELECTROFISHING	Day hours			Night hours		Total hours						
ELECTROFISHING	N/A				1	1						
TRAP NETS	Number of tra	ıps		Number of Lifts		Total effort						
INAFINETS	3				2	6						
CILL NETC	Number of ne	ts		Number of Lifts		Total effort						
GILL NETS	3				1	3						
ROTENONE	Gallons	ppm	Acre F	eet Treated	SHORELINE SEINING	Number of 100 Foot Seine Hauls						

	PHYSI	CAL AND CHEMI	CAL CHARACTERISTICS, S	STATION 1	
Color			Turbidity		
	Green		19 Feet	0 Inches (SECCHI DISH	<)
Alkalinity (ppm)*			рН		
	Surface: <17.1	Bottom: <17.1	Surface: 4.5	Bot	tom: 4.6
	Conductivity: 640 μS	S (660 μS bottom)	Air temperature:	87 °F	
Water	chemistry GPS coordinates	:: N 38.9990	002	w -87.243604	

		TEMPER	ATURE AND DI	SSOLVED OX	KYGEN (D.C	D.), STATION 1		
DEPTH (FEET)	Degrees (°F)	D.O. (ppm)	DEPTH (FEET)	DEGREES (°F)	D.O. (ppm)	DEPTH (FEET)	DEGREES (°F)	D.O. (ppm)
SURFACE	80.4	6.6						
2	80.4	6.6						
4	77.2	6.7						
6	76.3	6.7						
8	75.2	6.8						
10	73.9	6.8						
12	73.0	6.9						
14	72.7	6.9						
16	71.6	6.8						
18	69.6	6.2						
20	69.1	5.8						
21	68.7	6.0						
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COMMENTS	

^{*}ppm-parts per million

			SAM	PLING EFFO	RT	
ELECTROFISHING	Day hours			Night hours		Total hours
TRAP NETS	Number of traps			Number of Lifts		Total effort
GILL NETS	Number of nets			Number of Lifts		Total effort
ROTENONE	Gallons	ppm	Acre	Feet Treated	SHORELINE SEINING	Number of 100 Foot Seine Hauls

PHYSICAL AND CHEMIC	CAL CHARACTERISTICS, ST	ATION 3
Color	Turbidity	
Green	17 Feet	6 Inches (SECCHI DISK)
Alkalinity (ppm)*	рН	
Surface: <17.1 Bottom: 51.3	Surface: 4.7	Bottom: 5.8
Conductivity: 630 μS (980 μS bottom)	Air temperature:	87 °F
Water chemistry GPS coordinates: N 39.006	987	w -87.242497

	TEMPERATURE AND DISSOLVED OXYGEN (D.O.), STATION 3												
DEPTH (FEET)	Degrees (°F)	D.O. (ppm)	DEPTH (FEET)	DEGREES (°F)	D.O. (ppm)	DEPTH (FEET)	DEGREES (°F)	D.O. (ppm)					
SURFACE	82.4	7.0											
2	81.5	6.9											
4	80.8	6.9											
6	79.3	6.9											
8	77.2	7.1											
10	75.0	7.3											
12	74.1	7.3											
14	72.7	7.2											
16	72.0	6.5											
18	69.1	5.5											
20	63.5	4.5											
22	57.6	1.5											
24	53.8	0.9											
26	52.7	0.8											

COMMENTS	

^{*}ppm-parts per million

SPECIES AND RELATIVE ABUNDA	ANCE OF FISHES	COLLECTED BY	NUMBER AND WE	IGHT AT RESE	RVOIR 29, 200
*COMMON NAME OF FISH	NUMBER	PERCENT	LENGTH RANGE (inches)	WEIGHT (pounds)	PERCENT
Bluegill	98	56.6	1.9 - 9.0	6.75	20.0
Largemouth bass	32	18.5	3.7 - 16.8	16.51	49.0
Longear sunfish	15	8.7	2.4 - 5.2	0.74	2.2
Yellow bullhead	13	7.5	9.3 - 12.1	7.29	21.6
Green sunfish	7	4.0	2.0 - 3.8	0.22	0.7
Warmouth	7	4.0	2.7 - 7.5	1.54	4.6
Black bullhead	1	0.6	10.7	0.66	2.0
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TOTAL	173			33.71	

^{*}Common names of fishes recognized by the American Fisheries Society.

	NUMBE	R, PERCENT	AGE, WEIGI	HT, AND AG	E OF BL	UEGILL AT	T RESERVOIR 29, 2005.					
TOTAL		PERCENT	AVERAGE		TOTAL		PERCENT	AVERAGE	105.05			
LENGTH (inches)	NUMBER COLLECTED	OF FISH COLLECTED	WEIGHT (pounds)	AGE OF FISH	LENGTH (inches)	NUMBER COLLECTED	OF FISH COLLECTED	WEIGHT (pounds)	AGE OF FISH			
1.0					19.0							
1.5					19.5							
2.0	5	5.1	**	1	20.0							
2.5	14	14.3	0.01	1,2	20.5							
3.0	16	16.3	0.02	2	21.0							
3.5	18	18.4	0.03	2	21.5							
4.0	14	14.3	0.04	2,3	22.0							
4.5	7	7.1	0.06	2,3	22.5							
5.0	6	6.1	0.08	2,3	23.0							
5.5	5	5.1	0.11	3,4	23.5							
6.0	4	4.1	0.15	3,4,5	24.0							
6.5	3	3.1	0.19	3,4,5	24.5							
7.0					25.0							
7.5	1	1.0	0.30	4,5	25.5							
8.0	2	2.0	0.37	5,6	26.0							
8.5	1	1.0	0.45	4,5	TOTAL	98	100					
9.0	2	2.0	0.54	5								
9.5												
10.0												
10.5												
11.0												
11.5												
12.0												
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ELECTROFISHING CATCH		95.0)/h	GILL NET CATCH	0.0	O/lift	TRAP NET C	CATCH	0.5/lift			

^{*} Average weights derived from district averages
** Less than 0.01 pound

	NUMBER, F			AND AGE OF	AGE OF LARGEMOUTH BASS AT RESERVOIR 29, 2005.							
TOTAL LENGTH	NUMBER	PERCENT OF FISH	AVERAGE WEIGHT	AGE OF	TOTAL LENGTH	NUMBER	PERCENT OF FISH	AVER. WEIG				
(inches)	COLLECTED	COLLECTED	(pounds)	FISH	(inches)	COLLECTED	COLLECTED	(pour	ids) FISH			
1.0					19.0							
1.5					19.5							
2.0					20.0							
2.5					20.5							
3.0					21.0							
3.5	1	3.1	0.02	1	21.5							
4.0	4	12.5	0.03	1	22.0							
4.5					22.5							
5.0	1	3.1	0.05	1	23.0							
5.5					23.5							
6.0					24.0							
6.5					24.5							
7.0					25.0							
7.5	4	12.5	0.15	1	25.5							
8.0	2	6.3	0.22	1	26.0							
8.5					TOTAL	32	100					
9.0												
9.5	2	6.3	0.37	2,3								
10.0	2	6.3	0.43	2,3								
10.5	2	6.3	0.51	2,3								
11.0	6	18.8	0.58	2,3								
11.5	1	3.1	0.67	2,3								
12.0	2	6.3	0.77	2,3								
12.5												
13.0	2	6.3	1.02	3,5								
13.5	1	3.1	1.18	3,4								
14.0	1	3.1	1.32	4								
14.5												
15.0												
15.5												
16.0												
16.5												
17.0	1	3.1	2.43	5								
17.5	·	<u> </u>										
18.0												
18.5												
ELECTF	ROFISHING ATCH	27.	0/h	GILL NET CATCH	C).7/lift	TRAP NET C	CATCH	0.5/lift			

Species	YEAR CLASS	NUMBER OF FISH AGED	SIZE RANGE (in)	BACK CALCULATED LENGTH (inches) AT EACH AGE									
Bluegill				1	II	Ш	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII		
Intercept=0.8	2004	8	1.9 - 2.6	1.8									
	2003	20	27 - 5.2	1.4	3.2								
	2002	11	3.9 - 6.6	1.3	2.5	4.6							
	2001	6	5.3 - 7.6	1.3	2.6	4.2	5.6						
	2000	5	6.2 - 9.0	1.4	2.5	4.2	6.5	7.8					
	1999	1	8	1.3	2.1	3.3	4.8	6.3	7.6				
		AVERAGE LEN	NGTH	1.5	2.7	4.4	6.1	7.8					
	YF	R CLASSES AVE	ERAGED	5	4	3	2	1.0					
		DISTRICT AVE	RAGE	1.5	2.7	4.2	5.8	6.6	7.5	8.0			
		1	1										
Species	YEAR	NUMBER OF	SIZE RANGE	BACK CALCULATED LENGTH (inches) AT EACH AGE									
Largemouth bass	CLASS	FISH AGED	(in)	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII		
Intercept=0.8	2004	4	7.5 - 8.0	6.4									
	2003	6	9.5 - 12.1	7.4	10.2								
	2002	9	9.7 - 13.4	7.9	10.0	11.0							
	2001	2	14.0 - 16.8	9.4	12.4	14.3	15.0						
	2000	1	13.1	6.6	8.2	9.9	11.4	12.4					
		AVERAGE LEN	NGTH	7.3	10.1	11.0							
	YF	R CLASSES AVE	ERAGED	3	2	1							
		DISTRICT AVE	RAGE	3.9	7.6	10.4	12.4	14.6	19.1	19.5			

GPS LOCATIONS OF SAMPLING EQUIPMENT													
	GILL NI		TRAP NETS						ELECTROFISHING				
1	N 38.99900	W -87.24360	1	N	39.00083897	W	-87 2410049	1	N	38.99749	W	-87.24517	
	N 39.00714	W -87.24825	2		38.99900216		-87.2436038		N	38.99927	W	-87.241659	
2	N 39.00692	W -87.24161	3		39.00414806			2		39.006915		-87.2416	
	N 39.00699	W -87.24250	4		39.00351254		-87.2470341					-87.244888	
3	N 39.00077	W -87.24621	5		38.99989039			3		39.00282		-87.247097	
	N 39.00058	W -87.24543	6		38.99961236		-87.2456707					-87.246803	
4	N	W	7	Ν		W		4				-87.249281*	
	N	W	8	Ν		W			Ν	38.999612*	W	-87.245670*	
5	N	W	9	Ν		W		5	Ν		W		
	N	W	10	Ν		W			Ν		W		
6	N	W	11	N		W		6	N		W		
	N	W	12	N		W			Ν		W		
7	N	W	13	N		W		7	N		W		
	N	W	14	N		W			Ν		W		
8	N	W	15	N		W		8	N		W		
	N	W	16	Ν		W			Ν		W		
9	N	W	17	Ν		W		9	Ν		W		
	N	W	18	Ν		W			Ν		W		
10	N	W	19	N		W		10	Ν		W		
	N	W	20	N		W			Ν		W		
11	N	W						11	Ν		W		
	N	W							N		W		
12	N	W						12	Ν		W		
	N	W							Ν		W		
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	N	W							N		W		
14	N	W						14	N		W		
	N	W							N		W		
15	N	W						15	Ν		W		
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19		W						19			W		
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20		W						20			W		
<u></u>	N imated	W							Ν		W		

^{*}Estimated

Occurrence and A	bundance	of Submersed Aquatic F	Plants a	at Reserv	oir 29, 200	5
Date:	7/6/05	Littoral sites with plants:	23	Specie	s diversity:	0.15
Littoral depth (ft):	14.0	Number of species:	2	•	e diversity:	0.15
Littoral sites:	35	Maximum species/site:	2		e diversity:	0.17
Total sites:	38	Mean number species/site:	0.69		e diversity:	0.17
Secchi:	6.5	Mean native species/site:	0.69	*Mean i	ake score:	0.89
Common Name	Site freque	ncy Relative density	Mean	density	Dominan	се
Creeping water primrose	5.7	0.09	1	.50	1.7	
Spikerush	62.9	0.83	1	.32	16.6	
Other Observed Plants: Phragmities						